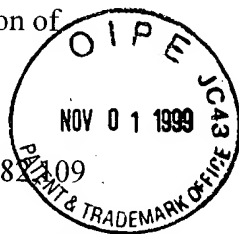


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Serial No. 09/082,109)
Filed: May 20, 1999)
For: METHOD OF EXTRACTING ANTI-)
OXIDANTS FROM LAMIACEAE)
SPECIES AND THE EXTRACT)
PRODUCTS THEREOF)



Group Art Unit: 1617

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